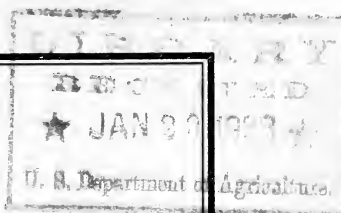


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Abronia alba var. *platyphylla*—Trailing. Pink flowers. Southern coast.

* * *Abronia pogonantha*—Dainty, airy, trailing plant. Graceful sprays of lavender flowers. Very fragrant. Warm sandy slopes. 50 cents per packet.

Allium fibrillum—Bulb, 6 in. Clusters of pale pink flowers. Mountains of Pacific Northwest. Hardy.

Allium fimbriatum—Bulb, 3 in. Large globular umbels of brilliant rose-purple flowers. Hot sandy slopes.

Allium lacunosum—Bulb, 6 in. Light pink flowers with deep red stripes. Hot sandy slopes.

Allium peninsulare var. *crispum*—Bulb, 8 in. Umbels of attractive rose-purple flowers, the inner petals with white crinkled edges. Central inner South Coast Ranges.

Allium unifolium—Bulb, 18 in. Large umbels of rich pink flowers. Moist soil in northern Coast Ranges.

Aquilegia formosa—2 ft. Flowers scarlet and yellow, the yellow portions conspicuous. Higher Pacific Coast mountains. Hardy.

* * *Aquilegia longissima*—3 ft. Profusion of canary-yellow flowers with five inch spurs. Mountains of Arizona. Hardy. 50 cents per packet.

* * *Arabis blepharophylla*, Rose Cress—7 in. Massed rosettes of deep green leaves. Sprays of large deep pink flowers. Fragrant. Rocky humus-filled slopes near central California coast. Hardy. 50 cents per packet.

Aster tortifolius—18 in. Downy foliage. Large glistening lavender flowers borne singly on tall stems. Hot sandy mesas and mountain slopes to 4000 ft.

Baeria maritima—Annual, decumbent. Large long-stemmed golden yellow daisies. Central and northern California coast.

Berberis aquifolium, Mountain Grape—Low shrub. Glistening compound holly-like leaves. Large bunches of yellow flowers. Blue berries. Mountains of northern California and the Pacific Northwest. Hardy.

Calochortus albus var. *rubellus*, Pink Fairy Lantern—Bulb, 10 in. Sprays of nodding, translucent, rose-pink flowers. Sierra Nevada foothills. Hardy.

Calochortus amabilis (*C. pulchellus*), Golden Lantern—Bulb, 10 in. Sprays of nodding, globe-shaped, golden-yellow flowers. Woods of North Coast Ranges. Hardy with care.

Campanula lasiocarpa—Alpine, 4 in. Large blue campanulate flowers borne singly on slender stalks. Alaskan mountains. Hardy. Quantity very limited. 50 cents per packet.

* * *Ceanothus austromontanus*—Low spreading shrub. Small shining dark green leaves. Deep blue flowers. Mountains of San Diego County.

Cirsium occidentale var. *coulteri*, Cobweb Thistle—Biennial, 3 ft. Gray foliage. Deep amethyst flowers set in large silver-webbed calyces. Very decorative. Dry slopes to 8000 ft. Hardy.

- Cooperia pedunculata**, Rain Lily—Bulb, 12 in. Grass-like leaves. Large white solitary amaryllis-shaped flowers. Blooms several times a year under cultivation. Lime and sun. Texas. Hardy with care.
- Coreopsis bigelovii**—Annual, 18 in. Basal tuft of finely cut leaves. Broad glistening golden-yellow flowers. Sunny plateaus to 4000 ft.
- Delphinium decorum**—18 in. Graceful branching racemes of rich blue flowers. Open woods of central and southern California mountains.
- * * **Delphinium nudicale** var. **luteum**—12 in. Slender branching growth. Large yellow flowers. Humus among rocks of central California coast hillsides. 50 cents per packet.
- Delphinium variegatum**, Royal Larkspur—2 ft. Open branching raceme of royal purple flowers, 2 in. across. Hillsides of California coast. Hardy with care.
- Dodecatheon alpinum**, Alpine Shooting Star—8 in. Rosette of narrow leaves. Slender-stemmed umbels of pink flowers. High montane to 10,000 ft. Hardy.
- Erigeron ursinus**—Alpine. Mat of spreading stems with short linear leaves. Large attractive purple flowers borne singly on three inch stems. Peaks of central Sierra Nevada mountains to 11,000 ft. Hardy.
- Eriodictyon californicum**, Yerba Santa, Mountain Balm—Shrub, 5 ft. Pleasantly aromatic foliage. Many panicles of lavender or china-blue flowers. Dry mountain slopes of northern California to 4000 ft.
- Erysimum asperum** var. **perenne**—8 in. Yellow flowers. Central Sierra Nevada mountains, 8000 to 12,000 ft. Hardy.
- Gerea canescens**, Desert Sunflower—Annual, 18 in. White-hairy foliage. Large showy yellow flowers. Hot sandy slopes in southern California.
- Gormania watsoni**—Prostrate. Succulent gray leaves in large rosettes. Pale yellow flowers. Rocky ridges of Pacific Northwest mountains. Hardy.
- Holodiscus discolor** var. **dumosus**, Cream Bush—Shrub, 2 ft. Large panicles of ivory-white, spiraea-like flowers. High montane in southern California mountains to 9000 ft. Hardy.
- Iris gigantea** var. **coerulea**—4 ft. Broad leaves. Very large light to dark blue flowers. Heavy wet black clay soil of Mississippi Delta. Hardy with care.
- Lappula floribunda**—2 ft. Racemes of many brilliant blue anchusa-like flowers. High montane to 9000 ft. Hardy.
- Lewisia columbiana**—Evergreen rosettes of narrow succulent leaves. Airy sprays of pale pink, red-veined flowers. Northern exposures on cliffs and rocks of Pacific Northwest mountains. Hardy. 50 cents per packet.
- Lewisia columbiana** var. **rosea**—Habit of type. Rose-purple flowers with deep red veins. Northern exposures on cliffs of Coast Ranges of Pacific Northwest. Hardy. 50 cents per packet.
- Lilium maritimum**, Coast Lily—Bulb, 2 ft. Deep green leaves. Dark red flowers. Localized in bogs and meadows of northern California coast.

Lupinus densiflorus var. **menziesii**—Annual, 18 in. Dense whorled spikes of pale yellow flowers. Central California.

Lupinus odoratus—Annual, 9 in. Basal rosette of long-stemmed leaves. Spikes of deep bright blue flowers. Fragrant. Sandy interior plains of southern California.

Lupinus stiversii—Annual, 12 in. Flowers particolored,—bright yellow banner, deep rose wings. Gravelly foothills.

Mimulus fremontii—Annual, 5 in. Slender-stemmed plant with large bright purple flowers. Inland foothills of central and southern California mountains.

Mimulus parviflorus (**Diplacus parviflorus**)—Evergreen shrub, 2 ft. Flowers of brilliant brick-red. Santa Barbara Islands.

Mimulus tricolor—Dwarf annual, 3 in. Flowers 2 in. long, rose-purple marked with crimson and yellow. Valleys of northern California. Limited quantity.

Monolopia major—Annual, 12 in. Downy white stems and foliage. Bright golden-yellow wide-rayed flowers. Adobe soil of hillsides and valleys.

Nemophila aurita, Climbing **Nemophila**, **Fiesta Flower**—Annual. Long trailing stems. Large bowl-shaped deep violet flowers. Shady places in foothills.

Papaver heterophyllum (Subgenus **Meconopsis**), Wind Poppy—Annual, 15 in. Flowers brick-red with central dark spot. Hill-slopes and valleys of central and southern California. Limited quantity. 50 cents per packet.

Pentstemon diffusus var. **albus**—18 in. Erect stems bearing panicles of white flowers. Alpine meadows of the Pacific Northwest. Hardy.

Pentstemon glaber, Alpine form—Alpine, 4 in. Basal clusters of thick leaves, strongly tinged with purple. Enormous brilliant blue flowers. Peaks of central Sierra Nevada mountains to 13,000 ft. Hardy.

Platystemon californicus var. **crinitus**, Yellow Cream-cup—Annual, 8 in. Silver-gray downy foliage. Yellow flowers like miniature poppies. Southern California mountains.

Salvia carduacea, Thistle Sage—Annual, 18 in. Large lavender flowers in white cotton-like whorls. Plant strongly lemon-verbena scented. Dry sandy mesas.

Stanleya pinnata—3 ft. Wide bushy plant. Leathery leaves. Many long racemes of large bright yellow flowers. Dry plains and foothills to 4500 ft. Hardy.

Styrax officinalis, Storax, Snowdrop Bush—Shrub, 5 ft. Smooth rounded leaves. Drooping clusters of large waxy white bells. Hardy with care. Foothill slopes of central and southern California.

Swertia albicaulis (**Frasera albicaulis**)—15 in. White-margined leaves. Dense spikes of blue flowers. Northern inland plateaus. Hardy.

Zauschneria californica var. **etteri**—6 in. Shining silver-white downy mat of foliage. Many, very large wide-mouthed salmon-scarlet flowers. Localized in Humboldt County. Hardy. 50 cents per packet.